

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
WESTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

TREVOR SCOTT SPARKS, (02),

Defendant.

Case No. 18-00293-02-CR-W-DGK

**GOVERNMENT’S RESPONSE TO DEFENDANT SPARKS’S MOTION IN LIMINE  
TO EXCLUDE CO-DEFENDANT STATEMENTS (DOC. 680)**

Comes now the United States of America, by and through its undersigned attorney, and submits the following response to Defendant Sparks’s motion in limine to exclude co-defendant statements (Doc. 680).

As co-defendants Ginnings and Patterson have pleaded guilty, and their pleas have been accepted by the Court, the Government is currently unaware of any basis to introduce the statements of Ginnings and Patterson in its case-in-chief.

WHEREFORE, the Government respectfully requests that the Court enter an order denying the defendant’s motion in limine to exclude co-defendant statements (Doc. 680) as moot.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was delivered on October 24, 2022, to the CM-ECF system of the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri for electronic delivery to all counsel of record.

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